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Claims 18-29 are rejected under 35 USC §101 as claiming the same invention as that of claims 18-29 of prior U.S. Patent No. 5,565,428. Since claims 18-29 are hereby canceled, this double patenting rejection is overcome.

Another Information Disclosure Statement is submitted to list an additional reference for consideration by the Examiner. The Examiner is requested to enter this IDS in the record and indicate that the reference was considered.

In view of the foregoing, applicants believe the application is now ion conditiion for allowance and respectfully solicit a Notice to that effect. If the Examiner has any questions, she should feel free to call the undersigned attorney at the number indicated below.

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